

Harford county, praying for a donation from the State, to Cokesbruy Academy, situate in the village of Abingdon, in said county,

Which was read and referred to the committee on education,

Mr. Willis presented a memorial of sundry citizens of the Liberty District of Frederick county, praying for a revision of the constitution of the State,

Which was read time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. McLean asked the following leave, viz.

Leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, an act relating to equity proceedings,

Which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. McLean also asked the following leave, viz.

Leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, an act defining and limiting contempts of court in this State.

Which was read. And,

On motion of Mr. Duckett, referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Ordered, that the names of Stephen Boyd and Thomas A. Spence, be entered on this Journal of the proceedings of this House, as having voted in the negative on the final passage of the bill, entitled, on act to incorporate the Merchants Fire Insurance company of Baltimore, as amended by the Senate.

Mr. McMahon, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made favorable reports upon the petitions, of Jonathan Mason Grover, Martha Jay and Julia Rouark, severally praying for pensions, accompanied with the following resolutions;

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to Jonathan Mason Grover, a soldier of the revolution, or to his order, during life, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, in consideration of his services.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

WM. McMAHON, chairman.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to Martha Jay, widow of the late Alexander Lawson Smith, a soldier of the revolution, the half pay of a Captain, during her widowhood.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

WM. McMAHON, chairman.